List of Acronyms

BACE: BellSouth Analysis of Competitive Entry model

CLEC: Competitive Local Exchange Carrier

CEA: Component Economic Area CSV: Comma Separated Variable DSL: Digital Subscriber Line

EEL: Enhanced Extended Link (loop + interoffice transport)

FCC: Federal Communications Commission
ILEC: Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier
LERG: Local Exchange Routing Guide
MCSA: Micropolitan Statistical Areas
MSA: Metropolitan Statistical Area

NPV: Net Present Value (discounting both costs and revenues to a

common time period)

ON: Operations and Network

P: Price

PV: Present Value Q: Quantity

SG&A: Sales, General and Administrative

TRO: Triennial Review Order (FCC 03-36, released August 21, 2003)

UNE: Unbundled Network Element

UNE-L: UNE Loop, without the switching UNE